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Inventor(s): Abel et al.

Confirmation No.: 2216

Application No.: 09/943,917

Examiner: Lett, Thomas J.

Filing Date: 08/31/2001

Group Art Unit: 2625

Title: A System And Method For Estimating Ink Usage Of A Print Job

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 Supplemental Declaration

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TOTAL CLAIMS	32	MINUS	38	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	5	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Month \$120	<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Month \$450	<input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Month \$1020	<input type="checkbox"/> 4th Month \$1590		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated 03/29/2006, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.